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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This communication is being submitted in response to the December 26, 2001 Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, a copy of which is enclosed herewith. Applicants hereby request a two-month extension of time for filing a response, thereby extending the due date to April 26, 2002. The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account 50-1570 in the amount \$ 265.00 (covering the extension fee of \$ 200.00 and the surcharge of \$ 65.00) and any fee deficiency associated with the filing of this response.

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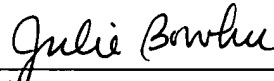
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The December 26, 2001 Notice indicates that the oath or declaration is missing in the subject application and requires that such oath or declaration be filed. In response, submitted herewith is a Declaration and Power of Attorney, signed by the inventors.

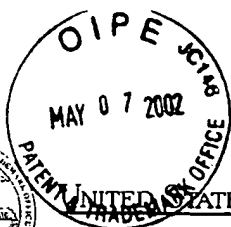
An early and favorable action on the merits is earnestly solicited.



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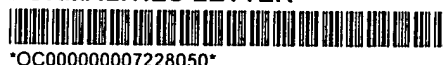
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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